

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listing, of claims in the application or previous response to office action:

1-27. (Cancelled)

28. (Currently Amended) A protective body armour comprising a skin and a honeycomb lining thereto, wherein the honeycomb lining comprises cells bounded by walls projecting upward from the skin and the body armour is contoured into a cup-shape with the lining on the concave face of the skin, wherein the skin and honeycomb lining are formed of a material that is substantially non-deformable, the skin and honeycomb lining are formed integrally with each other and the thickness of the skin is non-uniform over the surface of the protective body to form at least one fold line free from the walls of the honeycomb lining and relatively thinner to enable the protective body armour to conform to the contour of a person's body, wherein the honeycomb lining comprises hexagonal cells bounded by the walls, wherein the cell walls extend from the skin in a common direction parallel with the central wall that is perpendicular to the skin.

29. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the protective body armour is injected moulded as an integral construction.

30. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the protective body armour is blow moulded as an integral construction.

31. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the protective body armour is sintered as an integral construction.

32. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the protective body armour is vacformed as an integral construction.

33. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the protective body armour is compression moulded as an integral construction.

34. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is formed of polypropylene.

35. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is formed of polycarbonate.

36. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is formed of Nylon.

37. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is formed of polyethylene.

38. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is formed of polyurethane.

39. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is formed of thermoplastic rubber.

40. (Cancelled)

41. (Cancelled)

42. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour has a cut extending along a portion of a fold line from an outer edge of the body armour.

43. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 42, wherein the cut is tapered away from the outer edge.

44. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the size of the cells is non-uniform over the surface of the body armour.

45. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is elliptical in platform.

46. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is coloured.

47. (Previously Presented) The protective body armour according to claim 28, wherein the body armour is translucent.